

3. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE
Costa OF California,
OR H 15 DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES.

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2446, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. COSTA OF CALIFORNIA**

Page 29, after line 23, insert the following new section (and redesignate subsequent sections and conform the table of contents accordingly):

**1 SEC. 106. ASSISTANCE TO SUPPORT THE OFFICES OF THE
2 INSPECTOR GENERAL OF DEPARTMENT OF
3 STATE AND THE UNITED STATES AGENCY
4 FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN AF-
5 GHANISTAN.**

6 (a) ASSISTANCE AUTHORIZED.—The President shall
7 provide assistance to support the auditing, investigation,
8 and oversight capacity and capability of the Offices of the
9 Inspector General of the Department of State and the
10 United States Agency for International Development in
11 Afghanistan. The Offices of the Inspector General of the
12 Department of State and the United States Agency for
13 International Development are authorized to audit, inves-
14 tigate, and oversee the programs authorized in title I of
15 the Afghanistan Freedom Support Act of 2002 (as amend-
16 ed by this title).

17 (b) REQUIREMENT FOR IN-COUNTRY PRESENCE.—
18 The Offices of the Inspector General of the Department

1 of State and the United States Agency for International
2 Development, after consultation with the Secretary of
3 State and the Administrator for the United States Agency
4 for International Development, shall permanently deploy
5 not less than two staff from each of the Offices of the
6 Inspector General in Afghanistan to carry out this section.

7 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

8 (1) AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.—Of the amounts
9 authorized to be appropriated under section 110 of
10 the Afghanistan Freedom Support Act of 2002 (as
11 redesignated by this title) for each of the fiscal years
12 2008 through 2010, not less than \$1,500,000 for
13 each such fiscal year is authorized to be made avail-
14 able to the Office of the Inspector General of the
15 Department of State and not less than \$3,000,000
16 for each such fiscal year is authorized to be made
17 available to the Office of the Inspector General of
18 the United States Agency for International Develop-
19 ment to carry out this section.

20 (2) RELATION TO OTHER AVAILABLE FUNDS.—

21 Amounts made available under paragraph (1) are in
22 addition to amounts otherwise available for such
23 purposes.